

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

WILLIAM FRENCH and :  
MELYNDA ANNE REESE, :  
Plaintiff. : CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:23-cv-538  
v. : (JUDGE MANNION)

COUNTY OF LUZERNE, and : FILED  
LUZERNE COUNTY BOARD OF SCRANTON  
ELECTIONS OF REGISTRATION, : OCT 21 2024

Defendants. :

Per JRC  
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ORDER

Pursuant to the stipulation of the parties under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(ii), (Doc. 75), this case is **DISMISSED** with prejudice. However, as the court indicated to the parties during their last status conference it will not retain ancillary jurisdiction over their settlement agreement. See *Kokkonen v. Guardian Life Ins. Co. of America*, 511 U.S. 375, 381 (1994) (When a case is voluntarily dismissed by stipulation "the court's retention of jurisdiction over settlement contract may, in court's discretion, be one of terms set forth in order.) (emphasis added). The Clerk of Court is directed to **CLOSE** this case.

  
MALACHY E. MANNION  
United States District Judge

DATE: October 16, 2024

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